

## INITIAL INFORMATION DATA SHEET

### INVENTOR INFORMATION

Given Name:: Mark  
Family Name:: LAYCOCK  
Postal Address Line One:: 20 Holmbush Road  
City:: Putney, London  
State or Province:: United Kingdom  
Postal or Zip Code:: SW15 3LE

### CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION

Name Line One:: Thomas L. McMASTERS, Esq.  
Name Line Two:: FREDRIKSON & BYRON, P.A.  
Address Line One:: 1100 International Centre  
Address Line Two:: 900 Second Avenue South  
City:: Minneapolis  
State or Province:: Minnesota  
Postal or Zip Code:: 55402-3397  
Telephone:: (612) 347-7087  
Fax:: (612) 347-7077

### APPLICATION INFORMATION

Title Line One:: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
Title Line Two:: OPERATING A FINANCIAL  
Title Line Three:: INSTRUMENT  
Total Drawing Sheets:: 2  
Formal Drawings:: Yes  
Application Type:: Utility  
Docket Number:: 32414.

### REPRESENTATIVE CUSTOMER NUMBER

Customer Number:: 022859

### PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION

Foreign Application Number:: 0106314.8  
Filing Date:: March 14, 2001  
Country:: Great Britain  
Priority Claimed:: Yes